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DAYTON, Ohio, October 8, 1969 --- "When the moon is in the seventh house and Jupiter aligns with Mars, then peace will guide our planet and love will steer the stars." So contend James Rado and Germoe Ragni, the composers of "Age of Aquarius" from the Broadway musical "Hair." And the University of Dayton Homecoming Committee contends that these ideals of peace, brotherhood and love can be brought into reality. In order to salute these ideals of our age they have selected "The Age of Aquarius" as the Homecoming theme for 1969, and dedicate the week's activities, October 10 through October 18, to these concepts for all men.

As in years past, Homecoming '69 will kickoff activities with Premier, Friday, October 10, and will climax an annual college tradition when the Dayton Flyers battle the Northern Illinois Huskies in Baujan Field for a Homecoming victory. Following this the alumni, students and guests will attend the various dances and parties for the evening, rounding out another year of UD Homecoming.

One of the highlights of Homecoming week is the campaigning and final selection and crowning of the Homecoming queen. This year five senior UD coeds vie for the title which will make her the thirty-first UD Homecoming queen. Seeking the title and crown are Mary Lou Floyd, who hails from Bloomfield, New Jersey; Pauline Magrath, a native of Dayton, Ohio; Romy Mason from Winston-Salem, North Carolina; Westy Mathews, who makes her home in Yellow Springs, Ohio; and Pat Wilcox from Chattanooga, Tennessee. The queen will be announced at the Queen's Rally, Tuesday, October 14, and will be crowned Wednesday, October 15 at the Homecoming Concert.

The following is a complete listing of activities to take place during Homecoming Week. If further information is needed contact Peter C. Vannucci, at 229-4444 or 274-6205.

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HOMECOMING '69 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- Friday, October 10 Premier, UD Fieldhouse, 7:30 p.m.
- Sunday, October 12 Open Air Concert, 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., tennis courts behind JFK Union. The Waterweed, a three-piece folk group from the Dayton area, will perform.
- Monday, October 13 On Campus Parade with the queen candidates, bands, fraternities, etc., will begin at 12 Noon at Stuart Hall. They will proceed through the Kennedy plaza to the front of Wohlleben Hall. WING D.J., Steve Kirk, will act as M.C.
- Tuesday, October 14 A Fashion Show, sponsored by the Pandemonium Boutique, will feature the Homecoming queen candidates and other UD coeds modeling fashions through the zodiac, at 2:00 p.m. in the Torch Lounge of the Kennedy Union.
- A Queen's Rally will be held at 8:30 p.m. on Baujan Field. A torch light procession of UD students walking from Stuart Hill will start the rally. The Homecoming Queen and her court will be announced and the annual cement block ceremony will take place. The evening will conclude with the burning in effigy of the Northern Illinois Huskie.
- Wednesday, October 15 A concert, featuring Gary Puckett and the Union Gap and comedian David Frye, will take place at 8:00 p.m. in the UD Fieldhouse.
- Thursday, October 16 Linda Goodman, nationally famous astrologer, will speak in the Kennedy Union Ballroom at 12:30 p.m.
- A "So Happy It's Thursday" dance will be held in the JFK Snack Bar and a guitar festival on the roof terrace of the JFK Union, from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- "Lights, Camera, and Action" will be presented in the JFK Snack Bar and Union cafeteria from 7:00 p.m. to 12:00 p.m. This program includes a light show by Jim Goldsmith, skits by UAO members and W.C. Fields movies.
- (All activities on this day are sponsored by the UD Union Activities Organization.)
- Friday, October 17 Floatbuilding in Parking Lot B and Baujan Field from 6:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.
- Saturday, October 18 Downtown Parade begins at 9:45 a.m. at Riverview Park and will proceed down Main Street to Caldwell and then on to the UD campus. The reviewing stand will be located at Third and Main Streets, and floats will pass by at approximately 10:00 a.m.
- Varsity Football: UD vs. Northern Illinois, 1:30 p.m., Baujan Field.
- Student Dance at Wamplers Ballarena and Barn from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. The Magnificent Men and the Ohio Players will provide the music.
- Alumni Dance at Lakeside Palladium from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Lee Caste and the Jimmy Dorsey Orchestra will provide the music.
- Poor Peoples' Homecoming Dance in the Flyers Hangar from 9:00 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.